



## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Akiro SATO

Group Art Unit: 2825

Application No.: 09/424,500

Examiner: G. Lee

Filed: February 22, 2000

Docket No.: 104788

For: METHOD OF MANUFACTURING SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE, MOLDING DEVICE  
FOR SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE, AND SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE

**NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS  
AND INTERFERENCES AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Decision  
of the Primary Examiner dated November 19, 2003.

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                     Not required (fee paid in prior appeal in this  
application with no Board Decision on the merits).

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period for response be extended for three months. Included in our enclosed check is \$520.00 in payment  
of the fee for a third month extension of time (a two month extension having been paid on April 21,  
2003; and a one month extension having been paid on March 19, 2003) for filing this Notice of Appeal.

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